

**Plan of Study
Ph.D. in Economics**

Name: _____

Date: _____

Economics Core (24 hours)

Course	Name	Hours	Grade	Term
1. ECON 8000	Math for Economics	3	_____	_____
2. ECON 8010	Micro theory I	3	_____	_____
3. ECON 8020	Micro theory II	3	_____	_____
4. ECON 8030	Micro theory III	3	_____	_____
5. ECON 8040	Macro theory I	3	_____	_____
6. ECON 8050	Macro theory II	3	_____	_____
7. ECON 8070	Statistics for Econometrics	3	_____	_____
8. ECON 8080	Introduction to Econometrics	3	_____	_____

ECON 8000 will be taught intensively from early Aug. (about two weeks prior to the beginning of fall semester) to early Sep.

At the end of the first year students are expected to have completed the Micro Theory (ECON 8010 and ECON 8020) and Macro Theory (ECON 8040 and ECON 8050) sequences. Students need to earn a minimum grade of B in each course to take the written preliminary Micro and Macro exams.

These preliminary exams will be given in June after the first year. Students who do not pass at that time may retake the exam(s) in early August. Students will be allowed only two attempts to pass the Micro and Macro exams. Students must pass the Micro and Macro exams before taking field courses and exams.

Required field (6 hours)

Econometrics; select two courses from ECON 8110, ECON 8120, ECON 8130

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| 2. ECON _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Elective fields (12 hours)

To be selected from field courses offered by the department. One field may be taken outside of the department, with approval of the graduate coordinator.

Field A: _____

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Field B: _____

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A written preliminary exam will be taken in one of the three fields. To sit for field prelims, the student must pass the micro and macro theory prelims and complete the field with at least a B average. The written field exam may be taken in a field outside of the department only with permission of the graduate coordinator. If a student fails a field exam twice, he or she will be allowed one attempt to pass an exam in another field.

Research skills (6 hours)

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| 1. ECON 8980 | Seminar | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| 2. ECON 8090 | Research methods | 3 | _____ | _____ |

Advisory Committee Approval of Plan of Study:

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Graduate Coordinator Approval of Plan of Study and Advisory Committee:

(Signature)

(Date)